THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SMT. SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) No, Sir. The Department of Telugu created in 1982 in the Banaras Hindu University is recognised as an independent department.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The Department was established in the Sixth Plan only. At that time, the Department had one Reader and one Lecturer. No new teaching posts were sanctioned in the Sixth Plan. The number of non-teaching staff, if any, in the Department is being ascertained from the University and will be placed on the Table of the House.

Service of yoga teachers in Delhi schools

2407. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the services of yoga teachers in the schools of the Delhi Administration remain unutilised as most of the small children find it difficult to perform yogasanas; and

(b) if so, what steps Government propose to take to utilise their services?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SMT. SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Question does not arise.

Civil airport at Nasik Road

2408. SHRI SHANKARRAO NARAYANRAO DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to have a civil aerodrome at Nasik Road; and

(b if so, what steps have so far been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) Nasik Road is a defence aerodrome where Indian Airlines is operating AVRO aircraft. On allotment of land by the Ministry of Defence, a civil enclave is proposed to be constructed there, to provide passenger amenities.

Complaints against ticket examiners

2409. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railway Board, received any communication dated the 1st October, 1985 from the Bombay Dakshina Mara Nadar Sangam, Dharavi, Bombay complaining against certain ticket examiners of taking about Rs. 30/- to 40/- per head for giving sleeper berths on the Southern Railway;

(b) whether it has been mentioned that on 21st September, 1985 in Bombay Janata Express to V.T., T.T. Es charged heavy amount from the passengers;

(c) if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(d) whether any investigation has been made and action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) No, Sir. However, a copy of the complaint was received by the Zonal Railways.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) It was alleged in the complaint that the TTE who worked No. 14 Janata Express on 21-9-1985 ex. Madras to Cuddapah collected excess amount from the passengers.